BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Normal.	Current.
Prices of food grains—Rice	10 to 11	7 to 8
Ragi	25 to 30	25 to 28

Manure is being collected.

Cattle in good condition. Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are in good condition. Sugar-cane is being milled in some parts. Manure is gathered on the fields in some parts.

10. Prospects of the season generally good. Insufficiency of rain is felt throughout the district.

11. Public health generally good. Fever and small-pox prevail in some parts.

12. Cattle generally healthy. In Hoskote and Kankanhalli Taluks they are reported to be attacked with foot and mouth diseases. Water and fodder available. In Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Channapatna, scarcity of water is complained of.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane is being sown in Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Goribidnur and Gudibanda; sugar-cane and paddy in Malur, Goribidnur, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda; sugar-cane and maize in Sidlaghatta; sugar-cane in Chintamani and Mulbagal; vaisakha paddy in Bagepalli are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing wet crops are reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Gubbi and Turuvekere; paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Gubbi, Sira and Pavagada are being harvested. Paddy in Turuvekere and sugar-cane in Kunigal are being sown. Water is failing in tanks and wells at Pavagada.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available except in parts of Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops in parts of the district, such as paddy, sugar-cane, horse gram, black and green grams, cotton, til and mulberry are reported to be in good condition. Jolum has been sown in some parts of the district.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available in most parts of the district. They are getting scanty in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Heggaddevankote and Mandya Taluks for want of rain.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i. e.*, sugar-cane and kar-paddy in Hassan; sugar-cane in Belur; sugar-cane and paddy in Arsikere and Channarayapatna and black and green grams in Hole-Narsipur are in good condition. Sugar-cane and kar-paddy in Hassan are being harvested. Lands are being ploughed up in other taluks.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are available. Rain is required throughout the district.

11. Public health generally good. Fever and cold prevail in parts of Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Paddy is being sown in parts of Sagar Taluk. Kar-paddy in the Nagar Taluk and sugar-cane seedlings in the Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks are in good condition. Sugar-cane is being milled to a small extent in the Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season good. Mungar showers are badly needed.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water available.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations nil. The state of standing crops, *viz.*, kar-paddy and sugar-cane in the Kadur Taluk and sugar-cane in Chikmagalur Taluk, are in good condition. Prospects and probable out-turn of the harvests good. No damage reported.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stock is sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, sugar-cane and cotton, are reported to be in good condition. Paddy, sugar-cane and ragi in Chitaldrug Taluk; paddy, white jola and Bengal gram in Challakere Taluk; paddy in Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks; white jola and paddy in Hiriyur Taluk and cotton, paddy and white jola in Jagalur Taluk, are being harvested during the week.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water are reported to be available.

BANGALORE,
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